

**Sheri Hofer**

Enterprise Privacy and Security Officer

Sheri Hofer became Enterprise Privacy and Security Officer (EPSO) for the California Public Employees' Retirement System (CalPERS) in January of 2009. She is the senior executive responsible for overseeing the development, implementation and management of the CalPERS Enterprise Privacy and Security Program. The EPSO administers, develops, interprets and implements privacy and security policies and practices within CalPERS, in support of the members and trustees. She is also responsible for the development of the strategic direction of the privacy and security program.

Prior to coming to CalPERS, Ms. Hofer was the Chief of the Departmental Services Bureau at the Hawkins Data Center, California Department of Justice. There she was responsible for the development of secure applications in support of law enforcement and the Department of Justice. Ms. Hofer also managed teams that developed three significant applications for law enforcement and California citizens. They include Megan's Law used by law enforcement and the public to track registered sex offenders; CalPhoto, which permits law enforcement to exchange booking photos over the Internet; and the Armed Prohibited Persons system, which assists law enforcement with removing registered weapons from individuals who subsequently became prohibited from owning a gun.

Ms. Hofer holds a Bachelor's degree in Social Welfare and Corrections from California State University, Sacramento.

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